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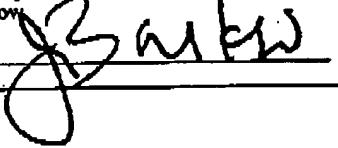
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Applicants: SANAGA et al.	Atty. Dkt.: 01-616
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ELECTION AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed 13 October 2005, the applicants elect the species associated with Fig. 10 with traverse. That is, the applicants elect the fifth species listed on page 2 of the election requirement. Claims 1 and 13-17 are readable on the elected species. At least claim 1 is generic. In addition, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.